

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Mario PAGLIARO, et al.
 Serial No.: 09/646,346
 Filed: November 15, 2000
 For: CATALYTIC MATERIALS FOR...

Art Unit: 1823
 Confirmation No.: 9119
 Examiner: J.O. WILSON
 Washington, D.C.
 Atty.'s Docket: PAGLIARO 1
 Date: January 16, 2003

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 Washington, D.C. 20231

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Transmitted herewith is an [XX] Amendment [XX] 8 References

in the above-identified application.

Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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Indep.	3	Minus	3	0	x42	\$	x84 \$
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim				140	\$		+280 \$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIMS FEE					\$		Total \$ 18.00

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 Conditional Petition for Extension of Time

If any extension of time for a response is required applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor.

 It is hereby petitioned for an extension of time in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a). The appropriate fee required by 37 CFR 1.17 is calculated as shown below:

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First - \$ 110.00
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 Third - \$ 930.00
 Fourth - \$1450.00

 Less fees (\$) already paid for months extension of time on . Please charge my Deposit Account No. 02-4035 in the amount of \$. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached. A check in the amount of \$ is attached (check no.). Credit Card Payment Form, PTO-2038, authorizing payment in the amount of \$ 948.00 is attached. The Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge any additional fees which may be required in connection with this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-4035. This authorization and request is not limited to payment of all fees associated with this communication, including any Extension of time fee, not covered by check or specific authorization, but is also intended to include all fees for the presentation of extra claims under 37 CFR Section 1.16 and all patent processing fees under 37 CFR Section 1.17 throughout the prosecution of the case. This blanket authorization does not include patent issue fees under 37 CFR Section 1.18.

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AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
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In response to the Office Action of
July 30, 2002, for which a three-month extension of time
is hereby requested, please enter the following
amendment:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 14, please amend the fourth paragraph
beginning on line 21 as follows:

The chemical entrapment of the nitroxyl
radicals was carried out in 2 steps. The catalyst is
prepared by anchoring the nitroxyl radical through the
oxo group of 4-oxo-TEMPO to the amino group of
aminopropyltrimethoxysilane and further polymerizing the
resulting monomer with an acidic sol of
tetramethoxyorthosilicate (TMOS, Si(OCH₃)₄). After 24h
stirring a solution of 4-oxo-TEMPO (424 mg) in methanol

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